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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/20/2005
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- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/20/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/20/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
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Application No.: 10/561,593 Confirmation No.: 6464

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In response to the Notification Of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed February 9, 2007, Applicants respectfully submits:

- Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US);
- Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet/Assignment of Application/Assignment Recordation Filing Fee; and
- Surcharge; Check in the amount of \$290.00

Application No.: 10/561,593 Docket No.: 10404.030.00-US

Response dated May 7, 2007

Notice of Missing Requirements dated February 9, 2007

Applicants believe the application is in condition for allowance and early, favorable action is respectfully solicited.

If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time, or any other fees required to complete the filing of this response, may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0911. Please credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 50-0911. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: May 7, 2007

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